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IN REPLY
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Mr. Emory L. Brown, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Brown:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 7 regarding 6.5 MM Mannlicher-Carcano ammunition.

The bullet jacket is composed of 10 per cent zinc and 90 per cent copper. There would be very little difference between our bullet and those produced by the Italians inasmuch as we used Italian drawings for our design. We would not expect an appreciable difference between our bullet and the Italian bullet in regards to animal tissue penetration or deformation or fragmentation.

Trusting that this clarifies any questions you may have had, I remain

Yours very truly,

Howard G. Boker

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Product Service Manager
East Alton Operations

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